

**(PTO ASSISTANCE)**

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[RUSH] MESSAGE: Original claim 12 (now claim 9)  
depends on claim 11.

Thank you

[XRUSH] RESPONSE: \_\_\_\_\_

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NOTE: This form will be included as part of the official USPTO record, with the Response document coded as XRUSH.

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